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54	No. 5-EV(2)/57, dated the 4th May 1957.	Ministry of Commerce and Industry.	Instructions regarding procedure for payment of application fees for export licences.
55	No. 36-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 6th May 1957.	Ditto.	Import of Polivinyll Chloride sheets (unsupported).
56	No. 37(1)-TP/57, dated the 7th May 1957.	Ditto.	Recommendations of the Tariff Commission on the continuance of protection to the Calcium Lactate Industry.
57	No. 77(L)/57-P.A., dated the 7th May 1957.	Department of Parliamentary Affairs.	Appointment of persons before whom the members of House of the People may make and subscribe the oath or affirmation.
	No. 77(L)/57-P.A.-II, dated the 7th May 1957.	Ditto.	Appointment of Seth Govind Das to perform the duties of the Speaker for the period until the Speaker is chosen.
58	No. 37-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 7th May 1957.	Ministry of Commerce and Industry.	Extension of the last date for receipt of applications for import licences from Actual Users during January-June 1957.
59	No. 6062-TT, dated the 11th May 1957.	Ministry of Railways.	Publication of the report of the Commission of Enquiry for the accident to No. 565 Down passenger train, together with the reports of the Assessors and of the Government Inspector of Railways.

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PART I—Section 1

Notifications relating to Non-Statutory Rules, Regulations and Orders and Resolutions issued by the Ministries of the Government of India (other than the Ministry of Defence) and by the Supreme Court

**MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
RESOLUTION**

New Delhi, the 6th May 1957

No. 31(3)-WANA/56.—The existing Port Haj Committee Act was enacted in 1932. Consequent upon the constitutional changes in the country, drastic changes are required in this Act. The Government of India have had therefore, under consideration for some time past the question of revising this Act in order to bring it in line with the present requirements of Haj pilgrims.

2. The Government of India have now decided to set up a Committee for the purpose, which shall consist of the following:—

Chairman

Col. B. H. Zaidi, Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University.

Members

1. Maulana Hafizur Rehman, M.P.
2. Haji Ahmad Abdullah.
3. Mrs. Khadiya Shuffi Tyabji.
4. Dr. Rafiq Zakaria.

Secretary and Convener

Deputy Secretary in charge Haj Affairs in the Ministry of External Affairs.

3. The terms of reference of the Committee will be to examine the existing provisions of the Port Haj Committee Act, and to suggest the lines along which the Act needs amendments.

4. The Committee is expected to submit its report to Government within six months.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Ministries of the Government of India, the Prime Minister's Secretariat, All State Governments and administrations, and All Haj Committees for information.

ORDERED also that the Resolution be published in the Gazette of India.

MOHD. YUNUS, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

ORDERS

New Delhi, the 10th May 1957

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1373.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 041687/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper, (ii) N 041700/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 10th April 1956 valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Paper including Poster and Stereo for all coated paper except Art papers all sorts N.O.S. also excluding Cigarette Paper and Packing and Wrapping Paper, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Bengal Commercial Syndicate, 33, Ezra Street, Calcutta were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-127, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm but no representation against cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 041687/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March 1956, (ii) N 041700/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 10th April, 1956, issued to the said M/s. Bengal Commercial Syndicate, 33, Ezra Street, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1387.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 033408/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956 valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Writing Paper other than note paper Writing Pads and Envelopes, (ii) N 033411/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, valued at Rs. 1009 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper, (iii) N 033145/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 8th February

1956 valued at Rs. 10,000 for import of Electric Control gear and Electric Transmission gear others, (iv) N 033370/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 750 for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers except art paper all sorts N.O.S. excluding cigarette paper and packing and wrapping paper from Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Pramode Trading Co., 17/1C, Nimtolla Ghat Street, Calcutta, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/99, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm, but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. N 033408/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, (ii) N 033411/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, (iii) N 033145/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 8th February 1956, (iv) N 033370/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956 issued to the said M/s. Pramode Trading Co., 17/1C, Nimtolla Ghat Street, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1401.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 041484/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th April 1956, valued at Rs. 2,027 for import of Paper including Poster and Stereo and all coated papers except art papers all sorts N.O.S. and also excluding cigarette paper and Packing and Wrapping Paper, (ii) N 041394/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. J. L. & Co., 5, Munshi Jellar Rahim Lane, Howrah, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/169, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 041484/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th April 1956, (ii) N 041394/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956 issued to the said M/s. J. L. & Co., 5, Munshi Jellar Rahim Lane, Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1415.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 041071/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956, valued at Rs. 9,000 for import of Electric Control and electric transmission gears others excluding the items falling under sub-serials 42(a) to 42(c) Part II, (ii) N 041154/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 22nd March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Endless flat belts, endless cone drum belts, endless made up machine belts, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Modern Traders, 40, Tikilapara Lane, Howrah were obtained on misrepresentation of facts whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-211, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 041071/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956, (ii) N 041154/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 22nd March 1956 issued to the said M/s. Modern Traders, 40, Tikilapara Lane, Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1429.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. N 041538/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 10th April 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Endless Flat Belts, Endless Cone Drum

Belts and Endless Madeup Machine Belts, (ii) N 040987/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 15th March 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000 for import of Electric Control Gear and Transmission Gear others excluding items falling under sub-serials 42(A) to 42(C) Part II from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Pustikar Traders, 20, Balmukand Mukkar Road, Calcutta, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/183, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 041538/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 10th April 1956 (ii) N 040987/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 15th March 1956 issued to the said M/s Pustikar Traders, 20, Balmukand Mukkar Road, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1443.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 033262/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 15th February 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000 for the import of Electric Control Gears and Electric Transmission Gear others excluding those items covered by sub-serials 42(A) to 42(C)-II, (ii) N 041211/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd March, 1956 valued at Rs. 1,524 for import of Printing Paper other than newsprint, (iii) N 041067/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956 valued at Rs. 971 for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers except art papers all sorts, N.O.S. and also cigarette papers and Packing and Wrapping Paper, (iv) N 041224/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 26th March 1956 valued at Rs. 1,530 for import of Writing Paper other than note paper writing pads and envelopes, (v) N 041069/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956 valued at Rs. 2,573 for import of Natural and Synthetic essential oil excluding (a) Lemon grass oil, (b) Palmarose oil, (c) Sandal wood oil, (d) Eucalyptus and orange oil, and (e) Turpentine oil, (vi) N 041068/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956 valued at Rs. 4,725 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Piplansh Brothers, Arbindo Road, Post Naihati, 24 Parganas, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/281, dated the 1st November 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "Firm Abolished" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancelled the said licences Nos. (i) N 033262/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 15th February 1956, (ii) N 041211/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd March 1956, (iii) N 041067/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956, (iv) N 041224/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 26th March 1956, (v) N 041069/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956, (vi) N 041068/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956, issued to the said M/s Piplansh Brothers, Arbindo Road, Post Naihati, 24, Parganas.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1457.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 033420/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956 valued at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Printing Paper other than Newsprint, (ii) N 033413/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Writing Paper other than note paper, writing pads and Envelopes, (iii) N 033123/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Electric Control Gears, Electric Transmission Gears others excluding items covered by sub-serials 42(a) to 42(c) of Part II, (iv) N 033350/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 1,029/- for import of Packing and Wrapping paper, (v) N 033111/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 750/- for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers except art papers all sorts N.O.S. and excluding cigarette and Packing and Wrapping paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Shiv Bhagwan Newar, 4, Doyehatta Street, Calcutta were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/293, dated the 1st November 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has

since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 033420/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, (ii) N 033413/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 29th February 1956, (iii) N 033123/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, (iv) N 033350/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956, (v) N 033111/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 23rd February 1956 issued to the said M/s. Shiv Bhagwan Newar, 4, Doyehatta Street, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1471.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 033121/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 3rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Electric Control Gear and Electric Transmission Gear others excluding items covered by Sub-serials 42(A) to 42(C) of Pt. II, (ii) N 033117/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 3rd February 1956, valued at Rs. 1,060/- for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Nathmal Gopalchand, 17/1C, Nimtolla Ghat Street, Calcutta were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-267, dated the 1st November 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled has since been received by the firm but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 033121/52/NC/CCI/C dated the 3rd February 1956, (ii) N 033117/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 3rd February 1956 issued to the said M/s Nathmal Gopalchand, 17/1C, Nimtolla Ghat Street, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1485.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (i) N 040924/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 13th March 1956 valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Electric Control and Transmission Gears others excluding items falling under Sub-Serials 42(A) to 42(C) of Part II (ii) N 041288/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 28th March 1956 valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Endless Flat Belts, Endless Cone Drum Belts and Endless Madeup Machine Belts from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Ramesh Traders, 161/1, Harrison Road, Calcutta were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-155, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India, in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955 hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 040924/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 13th March 1956, (ii) N 041288/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 28th March 1956 issued to the said M/s. Ramesh Traders, 161/1, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1499.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 041474/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th April 1956, valued at Rs. 4,908/- for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Bharat Trading Syndicate, 23A, Netaji Subhas Road, Calcutta were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/141, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licence should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "Not Known" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licence has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licence No. N 041474/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th April 1956, issued to the said M/s Bharat Trading Syndicate, 23A, Netaji Subhas Road, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1513.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence Nos. (i) N 040810/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956, valued at Rs. 2,458 for import of paper including Poster and Stereo and all coated papers except art papers all sorts N.O.S. also excluding cigarette paper and Packing and Wrapping Paper, (ii) N 040811/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956, valued at Rs. 4,768 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. International Supply Corporation, 80, Grey Street, Calcutta, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/83, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the late Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 040810/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956, (ii) N 040811/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956, issued to the said M/s. International Supply Corporation, 80, Grey Street, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1527.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 041038/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March, 1956 valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Eastern Supply Co., 41, Tekiapa Lane, Howrah were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/197, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licence has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licence No. N 041038/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 19th March 1956 issued to the said M/s. Eastern Supply Co., 41, Tekiapa Lane, Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1541.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence Nos. (i) N 041702/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 21st April 1956, valued at Rs. 8,982 for import of Chemicals N.O.S., (ii) N 041439/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, valued at Rs. 2,571 for import of Paper including Poster & Stereo and all coated papers art paper all sorts N.O.S. and also excluding cigarette paper and Packing and Wrapping Paper, (iii) N 040979/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 15th March 1956 valued at Rs. 2,385 for import of Instruments Apparatus and Appliances other than Electrical including articles otherwise specified in the schedule also excluding items covered by S. Nos. 92(A) to 92(M) of Part V, (iv) N 041446/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, valued at Rs. 1,829 for import of Printing Paper other than News Print, (v) N 041449/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, valued at Rs. 2,368 for import of Writing Paper other than note paper, Writing Pads and Envelopes, (vi) N 041375/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956 valued at Rs. 10,000 for import of Motor Vehicle Parts subject to the conditions indicated in Appendix XXVI to the January-June 1956 Policy Book, (vii) N 041730/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 25th April 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000 for import of Motor Vehicle Parts subject to the conditions as indicated in Appendix XXVI to the Policy Book for January-June 1956 (from Dollar Area), (viii) N 041376/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956, valued at Rs. 8,791 for import of Garage Tools as per list of items shown in Appendix XXV to the January-June 1956 Policy Book, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. I. P. Trading Company, 162, Lower Chitpore Road, Calcutta-1, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-71, dated the 31st October 1956, asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India, in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 041702/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 21st April 1956, (ii) N 041439/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, (iii) N 040979/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the

15th March 1956, (iv) N 041446/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, (v) N 041449/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 4th April 1956, (vi) N 041375/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956, (vii) N 041730/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 25th April 1956, (viii) N 041376/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd April 1956 issued to the said M/s. I. P. Trading Company, 162, Lower Chitpore Road, Calcutta-1.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1555.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence Nos. 1. N 041096/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 20th March 1956, valued at Rs. 9,300 for import of Electric Control and Transmission Gears—others excluding items falling under Sub-Serials 42(A) to 42(C) Part II.

2. N 041059/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 19th March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Endless flat belts, Endless cone drum belts and Endless madeup machine belts.

3. N 041030/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 17th March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper.

From the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Standard Stores, 6, Munshi Jellar Rahim Lane, Howrah, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/43, dated the 31st October 1956, asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 041096/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 20th March 1956, (2) N 041059/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 19th March 1956, (3) N 041030/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 17th March 1956, issued to the said M/s. Standard Stores, 6, Munshi Jellar Rahim Lane, Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1569.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 040827/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Nandkishore & Co., H. M. Chatterjee Building, Kailash Nath Chatak Road, Shyamnagar, 24, Parganas, was obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/113, dated the 31st October 1956 asking the said firm why the said licence should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licence has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licence No. N 040827/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 9th March 1956 issued to the said M/s. Nandkishore & Co., H. M. Chatterjee Building, Kailash Nath Chatak Road, Shyamnagar, 24, Parganas.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1583.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (1) N 033115/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 27th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 1179 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper, (2) N 033371/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 28th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 1750 for import of Electric Control Gear and Transmission Gear—others excluding items covered by sub-serials 42 (A) to 42 (C) of Part II. (3) N 041647/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 16th April, 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Endless Flat Belts, Endless Cone Drum Belts and Endless Machine Belts. (4) N 033110/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 27th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 750 for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers, except Art Papers all sorts, N.O.S. excluding Cigarette and Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. R. P. Newar & Co., 9/2E Khelat Ghose Lane, Calcutta, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/309, dated 1st November, 1956, asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "LEFT" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955 hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 033115/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 27th February, 1956, (2) N 033371/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 28th February, 1956, (3) N 041647/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 16th April, 1956, (4) N 033110/52/NC/CCI/C,

dated 27th February, 1956, issued to the said M/s. R. P. Newar & Co., 9/2E, Khelat Ghose Lane, Calcutta.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1597.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence Nos.

- (1) N 033429/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Printing Paper other than Newsprint.
- (2) N 041957/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 22nd May, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,913 for import of Asbestos Manufactures N.O.S.
- (3) N 033118/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 3rd February, 1956, valued at Rs. 8,913 for import of Lighting arrestors and fuse cutouts.
- (4) N 041935/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 18th May, 1956, valued at Rs. 6,723 for import of Garage Tools as per list of items included in Appendix XXV of the Red Book for Jan.—June 1956.
- (5) N 041504/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 10th April, 1956, valued at Rs. 8,963 for import of Motor Vehicle Parts subject to the condition as indicated in Appendix XXVI to the Current Red Book (from Dollar and/or Soft Currency Area).
- (6) N 041503/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 10th March, 1956, valued at Rs. 8,963 for Import of Motor Vehicle Parts subject to the condition as indicated in Appendix XXVI to the Current Policy Book.
- (7) N 033097/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 31st January, 1956, valued at Rs. 1,860 for import of Instruments Apparatus and Appliances other than Electrical including Cinematographic but excluding articles otherwise specified in this schedule also excluding the items covered by serial Nos. 92(A) to 92(K) Part V.
- (8) N 033228/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 14th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers except art paper all sorts N.O.S. and also excluding cigarette paper and packing and wrapping paper.
- (9) N 033430/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Writing Paper other than note paper, Writing Pads and Envelopes.

from the Sort Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Jt. Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s Hariprashad Shyamsunder, 177, Grand Trunk Road, North Howrah, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N/253, dated the 1st November 1956, asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 033429/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February, 1956, (2) N 041957/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 22nd May, 1956, (3) N 033118/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 3rd February, 1956, (4) N 041935/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 18th May, 1956, (5) N 041504/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 10th April, 1956, (6) N 041503/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 10th March, 1956, (7) N 033097/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 31st January, 1956, (8) N 033228/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 14th February, 1956, (9) N 033430/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February, 1956, issued to the said M/s. Hari Prasad Shyamsunder 177, Grand Trunk Road, North Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1611.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (1) N 041539/52/NC/CCI/C, dated April 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Electrical Instruments and Accessories, as per list attached. (2) N 041492/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 5th April 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Motor Vehicle Parts subject to the conditions as indicated in Appendix XXVI to the Current Policy Book. (3) N 033385/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 27th February 1956, valued at Rs. 9,814/- for import of Iron and Steel Valves strainers and hydrants and parts thereof. (4) N 033467/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 1st March 1956 valued at Rs. 9,570/- for import of Lighting Arrestors and Fuse Cutouts. (5) N 033434/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February 1956, valued at Rs. 1,755/- for import of Paper including Posters and Stereo and all coated papers except Art Papers, all sorts N.O.S. excluding Cigarette Paper and Packing and Wrapping Paper. (6) N 041133/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 22nd March 1956, valued

at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Writing Paper other than Note Paper, Writing Pads and Envelopes. (7) N 032723/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 12th December 1955, valued at Rs. 4,212/- for import of Garage Tools as per list of items shown in Appendix XXV of the July-December 1955 Policy Book. (8) N 040951/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 14th March 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Endless Flat Belts, Endless Cone Drum Belts and Endless made up Machine Belts, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Mohan Lal & Co., 40, Tikiapara Lane, Howrah, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-239, dated the 1st November 1956, asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received by the firm but no representation against the cancellation of licences has so far been made, and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 041539/52/NC/CCI/C, dated April 1956, (2) N 041492/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 5th April 1956, (3) N 033385/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 27th February 1956, (4) N 033467/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 1st March 1956, (5) N 033434/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 29th February 1956, (6) N 041133/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 22nd March 1956, (7) N 032723/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 12th December 1955, (8) N 040951/52/NC/CCI/C, dated 14th March 1956, issued to the said M/s. Mohan Lal & Co., 40, Tikiapara Lane, Howrah.

No. CCI/SPE/322/56/1625.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence Nos. (i) N 033481/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March 1956, valued at Rs. 1,000/- for import of Paper including poster and stereo and all coated papers except Art Papers all sorts N.O.S. excluding cigarette paper and Packing and Wrapping Papers, (ii) N 040857/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th March 1956, valued at Rs. 1,838/- for import of writing paper other than note paper, writing pads and Envelopes, (iii) N 040866/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th March 1956, valued at Rs. 1,577/- for import of Printing Paper other than Newsprint, (iv) N 033446/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 1st March 1956 valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Electric Control Gear and Electric Transmission Gear and others excluding those covered by sub-serials 42(A)-42(C)/II, (v) N 033479/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March, 1956, valued at Rs. 4,410/- for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Aroon & Nephews, 8, Johnstone Road, P.O. Nalhati, 24 Parganas, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/322/56/N-225, dated the 1st November 1956 asking the said firm why the said licences should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "Firm Abolished" and where as no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licences has come forward, the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of powers specified in para. 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, hereby cancel the said licences Nos. (i) N 033481/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March 1956, (ii) N 040857/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th March 1956, (iii) N 040866/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th March 1956, (iv) N 033446/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 1st March 1956, (v) N 033479/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 2nd March 1956 issued to the said M/s. Aroon & Nephews, 8, Johnstone Road, P. O. Nalhati, 24 Parganas.

S. N. BILGRAMI, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF FOOD & AGRICULTURE

(Department of Agriculture)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 8th May 1957

No. F. 12-2/57. Coop. Progm.—The Government of India are pleased to extend further the life of the Committee on Cooperative Legislation set up by the Government of India, Ministry of Food & Agriculture, under their Resolution. No. 5-8/56-Coop.I, dated the 6th June, 1956, and extended upto 5th March. 1957 under the Resolution of even number, dated 15th January 1957, from the 6th March, 1957 to the 30th June, 1957.

S. MUKERJEE, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

New Delhi, the 10th May 1957

No. 16-21/53-S.—In the exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to make the following amendment in the "Condition of Service of Corps of Engineer Officers in the Survey of India, Class I Service", published in the Ministry of Agriculture Notification No. F. 16-81/48-R dated the 17th August 1950:—

Rule 7-Pay-NOTE (1)—

For the existing NOTE (1) substitute the following:—

"NOTE (1) An officer holding a permanent civil appointment in the Survey of India reverted temporarily to military duty will get his civil pay including the benefit of the Next below Rule or the pay of his military rank whichever is higher and on return to Survey of India will count for increment the period he would have officiated in a higher grade in the Survey of India but for his reversion."

M. MALHOTRA, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

CORRIGENDUM

New Delhi, the 8th May 1957

SUBJECT:—Central Health Service Scheme.

No. F. 9-5/57-Estt.—In the Ministry of Health Resolution No. F. 3-2/55-Estt., dated the 31st May, 1956, under Section II, paragraph 3, against 'Category B', substitute the existing entry "Junior Administrative posts" by the following:—

"Junior Administrative and Senior Specialists posts".

AMAR NATH, VARMA, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT & COMMUNICATIONS

(Department of Communications)

New Delhi, the 9th May, 1957.

No. 10-4/57-STA.—The following rules for a competitive examination to be held by the Union Public Service Commission in September, 1957 for the purpose of filling vacancies in the Telegraph Engineering Service, Class I are published for general information.

RULES

For the purpose of these Rules—

- (a) "Government" means the Government of India.
- (b) "The Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission.
- (c) "The Service" means the Telegraph Engineering Service, Class I, particulars in respect of which are given in Appendix IV.

2. A competitive examination for admission to the Service shall be held in India at such times and places as may be prescribed in the Notice issued by the Commission. Every such Notice will, when possible announce the number of vacancies to be filled on the result of the examination.

3. If the examination held under this part of these Rules is a combined examination for the purpose of making appointments to more than one Service the following provisions shall apply:—

- (a) Any person may apply to be admitted as a candidate for appointment in all or any of these Services for which he is eligible. If he wishes to compete for appointment in more than one Service, he shall state in his application form which Services he wishes to compete for and the order of his preference for them, and in such case only one application form will be necessary and one payment of the fees referred to in rule 14 (and Appendix III) will be sufficient.
- (b) Government shall assign successful candidates to each Service or Department on a consideration of all circumstances including any personal preference expressed by the candidate.

4. The maximum number of candidates to be admitted to any examination may at the discretion of the Commission be limited to such number, not being less

than 200, as the Commission may decide. If a limit is imposed and the number of candidates exceeds that limit, the Commission shall select from the applicants those who shall be admitted to the examination, and in doing so shall have regard to the suitability of the applicants.

5. A candidate must apply to be admitted to the examination before such date, in such manner, and in such form as the Commission may prescribe.

6. A candidate must be either

- (a) a citizen of India, or
- (b) a subject of Sikkim, or
- (c) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan with the intention of permanently settling in India, or
- (d) a subject of Nepal or of a Portuguese or former French possession in India.

Note 1—The appointment of candidates in categories (c) and (d) above will be subject to the issue of certificates of eligibility in their favour by the Government of India. The certificate of eligibility in respect of candidates belonging to category (c) will be valid only for a period of one year from the date of his appointment beyond which he would be retained in service only if he has become a citizen of India. Certificates of eligibility will not, however, be necessary in the case of candidates belonging to any one of the following categories:—

- (1) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan before the 19th July 1948, and have ordinarily been residing in India since then.
- (2) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan after the 18th July 1948 but before the 30th September 1948 and got themselves registered as citizens within the time allowed.
- (3) Non-citizens who entered service under the Government of India before the commencement of the Constitution, viz., 26th January 1950 and who have continued in such service since then. Any such person who re-entered or may re-enter such service with break after the 26th January, 1950, will, however, require certificate of eligibility in the usual way.

Note 2—A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the examination and he may also be provisionally appointed subject to the necessary certificate being eventually issued in his favour by Government.

7. (a) No male candidate who has more than one wife living shall be eligible for appointment to any of the Services appointments to which are made on the results of this competitive examination unless the Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any male candidate from the operation of this rule.

(b) No female candidate who has married a person having already a wife living shall be eligible for appointment on the results of this competitive examination unless the Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any female candidate from the operation of this rule.

8. On the date prescribed by the Commission in their Notice of the examination issued under Rule 2, a candidate must have attained the age of 20 and must not have attained the age of 25, provided that the upper age limit of 25 will be relaxable upto 30 in the case of candidates who hold substantively permanent posts in the Posts and Telegraphs Department or have continuously held for a period of not less than two years temporary posts of (1) Repeater Station Assistants or (2) Foremen and Assistant Foremen, Telegraph Workshops, or (3) Temporary Assistant Engineers, Workshops, or (4) Engineering Supervisors under the Posts and Telegraphs Department, such relaxation being limited to three examinations only.

Department candidates must obtain previous permission of the Head of the Department to appear for the examination.

NOTE.—The upper age limits prescribed above will be relaxable:—

- (i) Upto a maximum of five years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe.
- (ii) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a bona fide displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir;

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at

five previous examinations or in the case of those employed in the Posts and Telegraphs Department at eight previous examinations.

- (iii) Upto a maximum of eight years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe and is also a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unlettered areas of Jammu and Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at ten previous examinations or in the case of those employed in the Posts and Telegraphs Department at thirteen previous examinations.

- (iv) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a resident of the former French Settlements which have now become part of India and has been receiving his education through the medium of French.

- (v) Upto a maximum of 4 years if a candidate belongs to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

SAVE AS PROVIDED ABOVE THE AGE LIMITS PRESCRIBED CAN IN NO CASE BE RELAXED.

9. A candidate must satisfy the Commission that his character is such as to make him suitable for appointment to the Service.

10. A candidate must have—

- (a) obtained a degree in Engineering from a university incorporated by an Act of the Central or of a State Legislature in India; or
- (b) passed Sections A and B of the Associate Membership Examination of the Institution of Engineers (India) or have any other educational qualifications recognised by that institution, as exempting from passing these sections; or
- (c) obtained an engineering degree of one of the universities mentioned in Appendix I under the conditions prescribed in that Appendix, or
- (d) passed the Honours Diploma examination in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering of the Loughborough College, Leicestershire provided the candidate has passed the common preliminary examination or has been exempted therefrom; or
- (e) obtained the B. E. (Tele-Communication) degree awarded by Indian Universities.

NOTE I.—In exceptional cases the Commission may treat as a qualified candidate, a candidate, who though he has not all or any of the qualifications prescribed in this rule, has passed examinations conducted by other institutions of a standard which in the opinion of the Commission justifies his admission to the examination.

NOTE II.—Candidates who have appeared at an examination the passing of which would render them eligible to appear at this examination, but have not been informed of the result may apply for admission to the examination. Candidates who intend to appear at such a qualifying examination may also apply, provided that the qualifying examination is completed before the commencement of this examination. Their applications will be accepted provisionally and they will be required to furnish proof of having passed the examination as soon as possible and in any case not later than two months after the commencement of the examination.

11. No candidate shall be admitted to the examination unless he holds a certificate of admission from the Commission.

The decision of the Commission as to the eligibility or otherwise of a candidate for admission to the examination shall be final.

12. A candidate found guilty of impersonation or of submitting fabricated documents or documents which have been tampered with or of making statements which are incorrect or false or suppressing material information or of using or attempting to use unfair means in the examination hall or otherwise resorting to any other irregular or improper means for obtaining admission to the examination may, in addition to rendering himself liable to a criminal prosecution be debarred either permanently or for a specified period—

- (a) by the Commission from admission to any examination or appearance at any interview held by the Commission for selection of candidates and;

- (b) by the Central Government from employment under the Government.

13. No recommendations except those required in the application form shall be taken into consideration. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to obtain support for his candidature by other means may disqualify him for admission.

14. Candidates must pay such examination fees as Government may prescribe (*see* Appendix III). No claim for a refund of any of these fees will ordinarily be entertained nor can they be held in reserve for any other examination or selection.

15. Examinations under these Rules shall be conducted by the Commission in the manner prescribed in the regulations which form Appendix II to these Rules.

16. (a) After every examination the Commission shall make a list of the candidates in order of their merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate and in that order so many candidates up to the number of vacancies announced under rule 2 above, as are found by the Commission to be qualified by the examination and are considered by Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, to be suitable in all other respects, shall be appointed.

(b) Appointments to vacancies to be filled by members of a particular community or communities shall be made by Government or the appointing authority as the case may be, in the order of merit of the candidates belonging to the particular community or communities, provided they have qualified in the examination and are in all respects suitable for employment in the service.

(c) Success in the examination confers no right to appointment, unless Government are satisfied, after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that the candidate is suitable in all respects for appointment to the Public Service.

17. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health, and free from any physical defects likely to interfere with the discharge of his or her duties as an officer of the Service. A candidate who (after such physical examination as Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, may prescribe) is found not to satisfy those requirements will not be appointed. Only candidates who are likely to be considered for appointment will be physically examined.

In order to prevent disappointment candidates are advised to have themselves examined by a Government Medical Officer of the standing of a Civil Surgeon before applying for admission to the examination. Particulars of the nature of the physical test to which candidates will be subjected before appointment and of the standards required can be had from the Commission.

18. (a) Appointments shall be made on probation for a period of two years.

(b) If, in the opinion of Government the work or conduct of an officer on probation is unsatisfactory, or shows that he is unlikely to become efficient, Government may discharge him forthwith.

(c) On the conclusion of his period of probation, Government may confirm the officer in his appointment, or if his work or conduct as in the opinion of Government been unsatisfactory, Government may either discharge him from the Service or may extend his period of probation for such further period as Government may think fit.

(d) If no action is taken by Government, under sub-rule (b) or (c) of this rule, the period after the prescribed period of probation shall be treated as an engagement from month to month, terminable on either side, on the expiration of one calendar month's notice in writing.

(e) If the power to make appointments in the Service is delegated by Government to any officer, that officer may exercise any of the powers of Government under this rule.

19. Probationers will also be required to pass a test in Hindi before confirmation.

APPENDIX I

List of University degrees which will be recognised for admission to the examination [vide Rule 10(C).]

Aberdeen.—B.Sc. Engineering (Honours or Ordinary degrees).

Cambridge.—Ordinary B.A. degree in engineering provided the graduate has passed in the principal subjects, Engineering I, Engineering II and Engineering III.

Durham.—B.Sc. in Marine Engineering.

Glasgow.—B.Sc. in Naval Architecture (Honours or Ordinary degree).

NOTE.—The above degrees will be accepted only if taken after three years' study and the passing of the regular examinations in the several Universities. The conditions as to three years' study will not, however, apply to Indians who, having taken an Indian degree, which exempts them from part of the University course shall have taken one of the above degrees in less than three years in accordance with the regulations of the University concerned.

APPENDIX II

Standard and Syllabus of the Examination (vide Rule 15).

Subjects	Marks
(a) Compulsory—	
1. English (including Essay and Precis writing)	100
2. General Knowledge	100
3. Electrical Engineering	150
4. Mechanical Engineering	150
5. Electrical Communication Engineering	100
6. Applied Mathematics	100
7. Personality Test	300
Total	1,000

(b) Optional—Any two of the following subjects—

1. Prime Movers	100
2. Physics (including Electricity and Magnetism)	100
3. Applied Mechanics (including strength of materials and theory of structures)	100

NOTE 1. All papers must be answered in English.

NOTE 2.—Candidates must write the papers in their own hand. In no circumstances will they be allowed the help of an amanuensis (scribe) to write down answers for them.

2. The standard and syllabus of the examination will be such as the Commission shall prescribe.

3. The Commission have discretion to fix qualifying marks in any or all the subjects at the examination.

4. The Commission will summon at their discretion only those candidates whom they consider suitable for interview for the Personality Test.

5. Special attention will be paid in the Personality Test to assessing the candidates' capacity for leadership, initiative and intellectual curiosity, tact and other social qualities, mental and physical energy, powers of practical application and integrity of character.

6. From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Commission may consider necessary in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

7. Deductions up to 5 per cent. of the maximum marks for the written subjects will be made for illegible handwriting.

8. Credit will be given for good English including orderly, effective and exact expression combined with due economy of words in all subjects of the examination and not only in subjects which are specially devoted to English.

APPENDIX III

FEES

(Vide Rule 14)

Candidates seeking admission the examination must pay the following fees:—

(a) To the Commission:

(i) Re. 1 when asking for application form and connected documents.

This amount should be paid to the Commission by Money Order. Local candidates, however, may pay

cash at the counter. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(ii) Rs. 81.50 (Rs. 19.62 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) with the completed application form.

This amount should be paid by means of Treasury Receipt or CROSSED Indian Postal Orders payable to Secretary, Union Public Service Commission. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(b) To the Medical Board:

Rs. 18 before examination by a Medical Board, if selected for appointment.

This amount should be paid in cash to the Medical Board concerned at the time of the Medical examination.

2. Once an application has been considered by the Commission and the decision communicated to the candidate, no claim from the candidate for a refund of the fee paid by him to the Commission will ordinarily be entertained nor can this fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection. If, however, a candidate is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, a refund of Rs. 75 (Rs. 18.75 in the case of candidate belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) will be made to him.

3. The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a bona fide displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. The fee of Re. 1 however, must be paid even by a displaced person when asking the Commission for form and this amount will be refundable to him, if on receipt of his application, his claim to be a displaced person is accepted by the Commission and his fee is remitted.

APPENDIX IV

General conditions of service prescribed for candidates recruited to Telegraph Engineering Service Class I.

1. Fifty per cent. of the vacancies in the Telegraph Engineering Service, Class I will be filled by candidates recruited through Competitive Examination.

2. Candidates to be recruited through Competitive Examination will be appointed as probationers for a period of two years during which they will undergo practical training in accordance with the programme of training that may be prescribed from time to time. Those who are favourably reported upon at the end of two years and have passed any departmental examination or examinations, that may be prescribed, will be appointed as Assistant Divisional Engineers, Telegraphs.

3. Officers appointed as Assistant Divisional Engineers, Telegraphs through Competitive Examination will be required to pass the professional and language tests in accordance with the rules on the subject before their pay is raised from Rs. 410 to 440 in the time scale applicable to them.

4. Officers recruited under these rules shall be eligible for leave, increment and pension in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of the Central Government. They will also be eligible to join the General Provident Fund in accordance with the rules regulating that Fund.

5. These officers shall be liable for transfer anywhere in India.

6. The relative seniority of officers appointed through Competitive examination will ordinarily be determined by their order of merit in the competitive examination. Government of India, however, reserve the right of fixing the seniority at their discretion in individual cases.

7. The following are the rates of pay admissible to officers appointed in India to the Telegraph Engineering Service Class I.

Junior Scale Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590—EB—30—770—40—850.

Senior Scale Rs. 600—40—1000—1000—1050—1050—1100—1100—1150.

Junior Administrative Grade Rs. 1300—60—1600.

Senior Administrative Grade Rs. 1800—100—2000.

8. Promotions to the administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment and are made wholly by selection. Mere seniority is considered to confer no claim for such promotion.

9. These conditions of service are subject to revision according to the requirements of service. Candidates will not be entitled to any compensation if they are adversely affected by any changes in the conditions of service which may be introduced later on.

P. N. VASUDEVAN, Asstt. Dir. Genl.

MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS

(Posts and Telegraphs)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 30th April, 1957

No. LL29-1/57.—As a result of valuation of the Post Office Insurance Fund as at 31st March 1952, bonus to the holders of policies which constituted the liability of Government of India was granted in Government of India, Ministry of Communications (P. & T.) Resolution No. F. 77-5/55 dated 13-12-1955, at the following rates:—

(a) In respect of policies in force on 31st March, 1952 a simple reversionary bonus as an addition to and payable with the sum assured at the following rates per thousand sum assured for each full month during which the policies were in force (i) between 1st August, 1947 and 31st March, 1952 in the case of the Civil Wing and (ii) between 1st January, 1949 and 31st March, 1952 in the case of Military Wing:—

Series	
	(i) Whole life policies secured by premia payable throughout life or for a limited period or for which no further premia are payable;
	(ii) Endowment assurance policies.
Civil Wing policies issued on or before 31-3-40.	1 (one)
Civil Wing policies issued after 31-3-40.	$\frac{5}{6}$ (five-sixths)
Military Wing.	$\frac{5}{6}$ (five-sixths)

The President is pleased to decide that in the case of transferred or reduced policies of the above-mentioned series, bonus will also be allotted to the respective policies as they existed on the 31st of March, 1952.

ORDER

Ordered that a copy of this resolution be communicated to the Private and Military Secretaries to the President, the Prime Minister's Secretariat, the Cabinet Secretariat, the Planning Commission, all the Ministries of the Government of India, all the State Governments in India, all Heads of Departments and to the Accountant-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the Gazette of India.

V. M. BHIDE, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(Railway Board)

New Delhi, the 18th May 1957

No. E(GR)57RE2.—The following rules for recruitment to the Indian Railway Service of Engineers are published for general information:—

RULES

PART I—GENERAL

1. These Rules may be called the Indian Railway Service of Engineers Recruitment Rules.

2. For the purpose of these Rules:—

- (a) "Government" means the Government of India.
- (b) "The Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission.

(c) "The Service" means the Indian Railway Service of Engineers. The various grades of posts included in the Service, their classification, pay scales and special conditions of Service shall be as included in Appendix IV to these rules.

(d) "Scheduled Castes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc., notified as such by the President of India.

(e) "Scheduled Tribes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc., notified as such by the President of India.

3. The Service shall be recruited by the following methods:—

(a) By competitive examination held in India in accordance with Part II of these Rules.

(b) By promotion of specially qualified class II officers, including officiating class II officers of the Civil Engineering Department.

Not more than 33-1/3 per cent. of the vacancies will be filled by departmental promotion; this percentage is likely to be varied from time to time if found necessary.

(c) By occasional admission of other qualified persons appointed by the Government on the recommendations of the Commission.

4. Subject to the provisions of rule 3, Government shall determine the method or methods to be employed for the purpose of filling any particular vacancies, or such vacancies as may require to be filled during any particular period, and the number of candidates to be recruited by each method.

5. Appointments to the Service made otherwise than by promotion will be subject to orders issued from time to time by the Ministry of Home Affairs regarding special representation in the Services for specific sections of the people.

PART II—RECRUITMENT BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

6. A competitive examination for admission to the Service shall be held in India at such times and places as may be prescribed in the notice issued by the Commission. Every such Notice will, when possible, announce the number of vacancies to be filled on the result of the examination.

7. If the examination held under this part of these Rules is a combined examination for the purpose of making appointments to more than one Service or Department the following provisions shall apply:—

(a) Any person may apply to be admitted as a candidate for appointment in all or any of these Services or Departments for which he is eligible. If he wishes to compete for appointment in more than one Service or Department, he shall state in his application form which Services or Departments he wishes to compete for and the order of his preference for them, and in such case only one application form will be necessary and one payment of the fees referred to in rule 18 (and Appendix III) will be sufficient.

(b) Government shall assign successful candidates to each Service or Department on a consideration of all circumstances including any personal preference expressed by the candidate.

8. The maximum number of candidates to be admitted to any examination may at the discretion of the Commission be limited to such number, not being less than 200 as the Commission may decide. If a limit is imposed and the number of candidates exceeds that limit, the Commission shall select from the applicants those who shall be admitted to the examination and in doing so shall have regard to the suitability of the applicants.

9. A candidate must apply to be admitted to the examination before such date, in such manner, and in such form as the Commission may prescribe.

10. A candidate must be either,

- (a) a citizen of India, or
- (b) a subject of Sikkim, or
- (c) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan with the intention of permanently settling in India.
- (d) a subject of Nepal or of a Portuguese or a former French possession in India.

NOTE 1.—The appointment of candidates in categories (c) and (d) above will be subject to the issue of certificates of eligibility in their favour by the Government of India. The certificate of eligibility in respect of candidates belonging to category (c) will be valid only for a period of one year from the date of his appointment beyond which he would be

retained in service only if he has become a citizen of India. Certificates of eligibility will not, however, be necessary in the case of candidates belonging to any one of the following categories:—

- (1) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan before the 19th July 1948, and have ordinarily been residing in India since then.
- (2) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan after the 18th July 1948, but before the 30th September 1948 and got themselves registered as citizens within the time allowed.
- (3) Non-citizens who entered service under the Government of India before the commencement of the Constitution, viz., 26th January 1950 and who have continued in such service since then. Any such person who re-entered or may re-enter such service with break after the 26th January 1950, will, however, require certificate of eligibility in the usual way.

NOTE 2.—A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the examination and he may also be provisionally appointed subject to the necessary certificate being eventually issued in his favour by Government.

11. (a) No male candidate who has more than one wife living shall be eligible for appointment to any of the Services appointments to which are made on the results of this competitive examination unless the Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any male candidate from the operation of this rule.

(b) No female candidate who has married a person having already a wife living shall be eligible for appointment to the service unless the Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any female candidate from the operation of this rule.

12. On the date prescribed by the Commission in their Notice of the examination issued under Rule 6, a candidate must have attained the age of 20 and must not have attained the age of 25 provided that the upper age limit of 25 will be relaxable upto 28 in the case of candidates who are permanently employed in Railway service or who were continuously in the temporary Railway service for at least 3 years or who were within the above specified age limits on the date of their employment in Railway service, such relaxation being limited to two examinations only.

Departmental candidates must obtain previous permission of the Head of the Department to appear for the examination.

NOTE.—The upper age limits prescribed above will be relaxable:—

- (i) Upto a maximum of five years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe.
- (ii) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a bonafide displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at five previous examinations.

- (iii) Upto a maximum of eight years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe and is also a bonafide displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at ten previous examinations.

- (iv) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a resident of the former French Settlements which have now become part of India and has been receiving his education through the medium of French.

- (v) upto a maximum of 4 years if a candidate belongs to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

SAVE AS PROVIDED ABOVE THE AGE LIMITS PRESCRIBED CAN IN NO CASE BE RELAXED.

13. A candidate must satisfy the Commission that his character is such as to make him suitable for appointment to the Service/Department.

14. A candidate must have:—

- (a) Obtained a degree in Engineering from a university incorporated by an Act of the Central or of a State Legislature in India; or
- (b) passed Sections A and B of the Associate Membership Examination of the Institution of Engineers (India) or have any other educational qualifications excepting a B.E. degree (Tele-Communication) awarded by Indian

Universities recognised by that institution as exempting from passing these sections; or

- (c) obtained an engineering degree of one of the universities mentioned in Appendix I under the conditions prescribed in that Appendix; or

- (d) passed the Honours Diploma examination in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering of the Loughborough College, Leicestershire, provided the candidate has passed the common preliminary examination or has been exempted therefrom.

NOTE I.—In exceptional cases the Commission may treat as a qualified candidate, a candidate who though he has not all or any of the qualifications prescribed in this rule, has passed examinations conducted by other institutions of a standard which in the opinion of the Commission justifies his admission to the examination.

NOTE II.—Candidates who have appeared at an examination the passing of which would render them eligible to appear at this examination, but have not been informed of the result, may apply for admission to the examination. Candidates who intend to appear at such a qualifying examination may also apply provided that the qualifying examination is completed before the commencement of this examination. Their applications will be accepted provisionally and they will be required to furnish proof of having passed the examination as soon as possible and in any case not later than two months after the commencement of the examination.

15. No candidate shall be admitted to the examination unless he holds a certificate of admission from the Commission.

The decision of the Commission as to the eligibility or otherwise of a candidate for admission to the examination shall be final.

16. A candidate found guilty of impersonation or of submitting fabricated documents or documents which have been tampered with or of making statements which are incorrect or false or suppressing material information or of using or attempting to use unfair means in the examination hall or otherwise resorting to any other irregular or improper means for obtaining admission to the examination may, in addition to rendering himself liable to a criminal prosecution be debarred either permanently or for a specified period—

- (a) by the Commission from admission to any examination or appearance at any interview held by the Commission for selection of candidates; and

- (b) by the Central Government from employment under the Government.

17. No recommendations except those required in the application form shall be taken into consideration. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to obtain support for his candidature by other means may disqualify him for admission.

18. Candidates must pay such examination fees as Government may prescribe (see Appendix III). No claim for a refund of any of these fees will ordinarily be entertained, nor can they be held in reserve for any other examination or selection.

19. Examinations under these Rules shall be conducted by the Commission in the manner prescribed in the regulations which form Appendix II to these Rules.

20. (a) After every examination the Commission shall make a list of the candidates in order of their merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate, and in that order so many candidates up to the number of unreserved vacancies announced under rule 6 above, as are found by the Commission to be qualified by the examination and are considered by Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, to be suitable in all other respects, shall be appointed.

(b) Appointment to vacancies to be filled by members of a particular community or communities shall be made by Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, in the order of merit of the candidates belonging to the particular community or communities, provided they have qualified in the examination and are in all respects suitable for employment in the service.

(c) Success in the examination confers no right to appointment, unless Government are satisfied, after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that the candidate is suitable in all respects for appointment to the public service.

21. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to

interfere with the discharge of his duties as an officer of the Service. A candidate who (after such physical examination as Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, may prescribe) is found not to satisfy those requirements will not be appointed. Only candidates who are likely to be considered for appointment will be physically examined.

In order to prevent disappointment candidates are advised to have themselves examined by a Government Medical Officer of the standing of a Civil Surgeon, before applying for admission to the examination. Particulars of the nature of the Physical test to which candidates will be submitted before appointment and of the standard required can be had from the Commission.

22. (a) Appointments shall be made on probation for a period of three years.

(b) If, in the opinion of Government, the work or conduct of an officer on probation is unsatisfactory, or shows that he is unlikely to become efficient, Government may discharge him forthwith.

(c) On the conclusion of his period of probation, Government may confirm the officer in his appointment, or if his work or conduct has in the opinion of Government been unsatisfactory Government may either discharge him from the Service or may extend his period of probation for such further period as Government may think fit.

(d) If no action is taken by Government under sub-rule (b) or (c) of this rule, the period after the prescribed period of probation shall be treated as an engagement from month to month, terminable on either side on the expiration of one calendar month's notice in writing.

(e) If the power to make appointments in the Service is delegated by Government to any officer, that officer may exercise any of the powers of Government under this rule.

23. Probationers will also be required to pass a test in Hindi before confirmation.

APPENDIX I

List of University degrees which will be recognised for admission to the examination vide paragraph 14(c).

Aberdeen.—B.Sc. Engineering (Honours or Ordinary degree).

Cambridge.—Ordinary B.A. degree in Engineering provided the graduate has passed in the principal subjects, Engineering I, Engineering II and Engineering III.

Durham.—B.Sc. in Marine Engineering.

Glasgow.—B.Sc. in Naval Architecture (Honours or Ordinary degree).

NOTE.—The above degrees will be accepted only if taken after three years' study and the passing of the regular examinations in the several Universities. The conditions as to three years' study will not, however, apply to Indians who, having taken an Indian degree, which exempts them from part of the University course, shall have taken one of the above degrees in less than three years in accordance with the regulations of the University concerned.

APPENDIX II

Standard and Syllabus of the Examination

(vide Rule 19)

Subjects		Marks
(a) Compulsory—		
(1) English (including Essay and Precis writing)		100
(2) General Knowledge		100
(3) Applied Mechanics (including Strength of Materials and Theory of Structures)		200
(4) Construction		
Paper I—		
(i) Building Materials and Building Construction	}	100
(ii) Design of Structures		
Paper II—		
Roads, Railways (General Principles governing the design of Railways, Roads, Harbours and other works)		100
(5) Surveying		200
(6) Sanitary Engineering and Water Supply		100
(7) Personality Test		300
TOTAL		1,100

(b) Optional.—Any two of the following subjects:—

(1) Prime Movers	100
(2) Hydraulics and Hydraulic Machines	100
(3) Electrical Engineering	100
(4) Architecture and Town Planning	100
(5) Mechanical Engineering	100

NOTE 1.—All papers must be answered in English.

NOTE 2.—Candidates must write the papers in their own hand. In no circumstances will they be allowed the help of an amanuensis (scribe) to write down answers for them.

2. A candidate must produce a certificate that he has undergone satisfactory training in Surveying including practical surveying in a college or institution recognised by the Commission for the purpose of admission to the competitive examination for the Service. The training must be equivalent to that given in full course for a degree or diploma in Civil Engineering. The certificate must be signed by the Principal or the Head of the Department of Surveying in the College or Institution.

For this purpose the Commission will ordinarily accept a certificate from any college or institution mentioned in Rule 14 of the preceding rules, or from any college which is affiliated to any University mentioned in the same Rule. The Commission, however, reserve to themselves the power not to accept any certificate if they are satisfied that the practical training referred to therein falls short of the requirements of the Service, and their decision in the matter will be final.

3. The standard and syllabus of the examination will be such as the Commission shall prescribe.

4. The Commission have discretion to fix qualifying marks in any or all the subjects at the examination.

5. The Commission will summon at their discretion only those candidates whom they consider suitable for interview for the Personality Test.

6. Special attention will be paid in the Personality Test to assessing the candidates' capacity for leadership, initiative and intellectual curiosity, tact and other social qualities, mental and physical energy, powers of practical application and integrity of character.

7. From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Commission may consider necessary in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

8. Deductions upto 5 per cent. of the maximum marks for the written subjects will be made for illegible handwriting.

9. Credit will be given for good English including orderly, effective and exact expression combined with due economy of words in all subjects of the examination and not only in subjects which are specially devoted to English.

APPENDIX III

FEES

(Vide Rule 18)

Candidates seeking admission to the examination must pay the following fees:—

(a) To the Commission:—

(i) Re. 1/- when asking for application form and connected documents.

This amount should be paid to the Commission by Money Order. Local candidates, however, may pay cash at the counter. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(ii) Rs. 81.50 (Rs. 19.62 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) with the completed application form.

This amount should be paid by means of Treasury Receipt or CROSSED Indian Postal Orders payable to Secretary Union Public Service Commission. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(b) To the Medical Board:—

Rs. 16/- before examination by a Medical Board, if selected for appointment.

This amount should be paid in cash to the Medical Board through the General Manager of the Railway concerned at the time of the Medical examination.

2. Once an application has been considered by the Commission and the decision communicated to the candidate, no claim from the candidate for a refund of the fee paid by him to the Commission will ordinarily be entertained nor can this fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection. If, however, a candidate is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, a refund of Rs. 75/- (Rs. 18.75 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) will be made to him.

3. The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. The fee of Re. 1/-, however, must be paid even by a displaced person when asking the Commission for form and this amount will be refundable to him, if on receipt of his application, his claim to be a displaced person is accepted by the Commission and his fee is remitted.

APPENDIX IV

Particulars regarding the Indian Railway Service of Engineers

1. Candidates selected for appointment under rule 3(a) will be appointed as probationary officers for a period of three years during which their services will be liable to termination on three months notice on either side. They shall undergo practical training for the first two years. Those favourably reported upon at the end of the two years' training and who have passed any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed will be given charge of a working post during the third year of their probationary period. At the end of this period, they will be confirmed in the Indian Railway Service of Engineers, provided they have passed all the prescribed examinations and are considered fit for permanent appointment. On confirmation, their agreement will be continued subject to their service being terminable on six months' notice on either side.

On appointment a probationer shall execute an agreement binding himself and one surety jointly and severally to refund in the event of his failing to complete the probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government, any moneys paid to him consequent on his appointment as probationer.

Probationers will be required to undergo training at the Railway Staff College, Baroda in two phases, once in each of the 2 years' training. They will be given more than one chance to qualify in the training course but will not be confirmed till they have passed it, their training period being extended accordingly with consequent extension of the total probationary period.

NOTE.—The period of training and the period of probation against a working post may be modified at the discretion of Government.

If the period of training is extended in any case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the total period of probation will be correspondingly extended.

2. (a) Probationers will not be permitted to apply for appointment elsewhere or appear for examination or selection for recruitment to other services.

(b) In cases where Probationers have already appeared at the Combined Competitive Examinations prior to their allotment to the Railway Service and qualify for appointment to services other than Railway Services, the question of their release from Railway Service will be considered only when they are prepared to refund in cash the cost of the training and other moneys paid to them during the period of their probation before they are actually relieved.

3. Officers will be required to pass a riding test within the probationary period of three years. A probationer who fails to pass the test within the period of probation due to his own fault will not ordinarily be confirmed or allowed any increment raising his pay beyond the 380 stage in the time scale. If, in any case, however, an officer is unable to get facilities for training in riding and passing the riding test during the period of probation through no fault of his own, his confirmation will not be held up nor will his increments be stopped. In such cases, the officer should however, pass the riding test within a period of five years from the date of joining service, failing which his subsequent increment will be stopped till he passes the test.

NOTE.—An officer who has obtained a certificate from Government or a recognised Indian University or Engineering Institute of having passed the riding test before appointment as a probationer, may be exempted by the General Manager/Chief Administrative Officer, from passing the riding test, provided the test passed is of the same standard.

4. Officers will be required to pass a language examination in Hindi in Deva Nagri Script by the Lower Standard modified to suit the requirements of the Railways before they can be confirmed or before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time-scale during the period of probation. Officers who can speak Hindi and read and write it may be exempted by the General Manager/Chief Administrative Officer from passing the language examination. Failure to pass the examination within the probationary period involves liability to removal from service.

NOTE.—Some knowledge of Hindi prior to entry into service would be of advantage in passing departmental examinations.

5. Officers of the Indian Railway Service of Engineers recruited under these regulations, will not be entitled to pension on quitting the service, but will be eligible throughout their service for the benefits of the State Railway Provident Fund, to which they will be required to subscribe, and by the rules of which Fund they will be required to abide.

6. Pay will commence from the date of joining service. Service for increments will also count from the same date. Particulars as to pay are contained in para. 10 of this Appendix.

7. Officers recruited under these regulations shall be eligible for leave in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of Indian Railways.

8. Officers will ordinarily be employed throughout their service on the Railway to which they may be posted on first appointment and will have no claim, as a matter of right, to transfer to some other Railway. But the Government of India reserve the right to transfer such officers, in the exigencies of service, to any other Railway or project in or out of India. Officers will be liable to serve in the Stores Department of the Indian Railways if and when called upon to do so.

9. The relative seniority of officers appointed under rule 3(a) will ordinarily be determined by their order of merit in the competitive examination. The Government of India, however, reserve the right of fixing seniority at their discretion in individual cases. They also reserve the right of assigning to officers appointed under rules 3(b), 3(c) and (4) positions in the seniority list at their discretion.

NOTE.—If the period of training and consequently the period of probation is extended in any particular case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the officer concerned is liable to lose in seniority.

10. The following are the rates of pay admissible to officers appointed in India to the Indian Railway Service of Engineers:—

Junior Scale.—Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590—E.B.—30—770—40—850.

Senior Scale.—Rs. 600 (1st to 6th year)—40—1,000—1,000—1,050—1,050—4,100—1,100—1,150.

Junior Administrative grade.—Rs. 1,300—60—1,600.

Senior Administrative grade.—Rs. 1,800—100—2,000—125—2,250.

NOTE.—Probationary officers will start on the minimum of the junior scale and will count their service for increment from the date of joining. They will, however, be required to pass any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time-scale.

If they fail to pass the departmental examination within the probationary period, increments from Rs. 350 to Rs. 380 will be stopped. In cases where Probationary period is to be extended for failing to pass all departmental examinations within the stipulated period, on their passing the departmental examination, the drawal of the first and subsequent increments will be regulated by Rules and Orders in force from time to time.

11. The increments will be given subject to sub-para. to Note under para. 10 above, for approved service only, and in accordance with the rules of the Department.

12. Promotions to the administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment and are made wholly by selection, mere seniority is considered to confer no claim for promotion.

No. E(GR)57RR4-1.—The following rules for recruitment to the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways, are published for general information:—

RULES

PART I.—GENERAL

1. These Rules may be called the **Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways Recruitment Rules**.

2. For the purpose of these Rules—

- (a) "Government" means the Government of India.
- (b) "The Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission.
- (c) "The Service" means the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways. The various grades of posts included in the Service, their classification, pay scales and special conditions of Service shall be as included in Appendix IV to these Rules.
- (d) "Scheduled Castes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India.
- (e) "Scheduled Tribes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India.

3. The Service shall be recruited by the following methods:—

- (a) By competitive examination held in India in accordance with Part II of these Rules.
- (b) by promotion of specially qualified Class II officers, including officiating Class II officers of the Signal Engineering Department.

Not more than 33 1/3 per cent. of the vacancies will be filled by departmental promotion; this percentage is liable to be varied from time to time if found necessary.

- (c) By occasional admission of other qualified persons appointed by the Government on the recommendation of the Commission.

4. Subject to the provisions of rule 3, Government shall determine the method or methods to be employed for the purpose of filling any particular vacancies, or such vacancies as may require to be filled during any particular period, and the number of candidates to be recruited by each method.

5. Appointments to the Service made otherwise than by promotion will be subject to orders issued from time to time by the Ministry of Home Affairs regarding special representation in the Services for specific sections of the people.

PART II.—RECRUITMENT BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

6. A competitive examination for admission to the Service shall be held in India at such times and places as may be prescribed in the Notice issued by the Commission. Every such Notice will when possible, announce the number of vacancies to be filled on the result of the examination.

7. If the examination held under this part of these Rules is a combined examination for the purpose of making appointments to more than one Service or Department, the following provisions shall apply:—

- (a) Any person may apply to be admitted as a candidate for appointment in all or any of these Services or Departments for which he is eligible. If he wishes to compete for appointment in more than one Service or Department, he shall state in his application form which Services, or Departments he wishes to compete for and the order of his preference for them, and in such case only one application form will be necessary and one payment of the fees referred to in rule 18 (and Appendix III) will be sufficient.
- (b) Government shall assign successful candidates to each Service or Department on a consideration of all circumstances including any personal preference expressed by the candidate.

8. The maximum number of candidates to be admitted to any examination may at the discretion of the Commission be limited to such number, not being less than 200, as the Commission may decide. If a limit is imposed and the number of candidates exceeds that limit, the Commission shall select from the applicants those who shall be admitted to the examination and in doing so shall have regard to the suitability of the applicants.

9. A candidate must apply to be admitted to the examination before such date, in such manner and in such form as the Commission may prescribe.

10. A candidate must be either

- (a) a citizen of India, or
- (b) a subject of Sikkim, or
- (c) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan with the intention of permanently settling in India,
- (d) a subject of Nepal or of a Portuguese or a former French possession in India.

NOTE 1.—The appointment of candidates in categories (c) and (d) above will be subject to the issue of certificates of eligibility in their favour by the Government of India. The certificate of eligibility in respect of candidates belonging to category (c) will be valid only for a period of one year from the date of his appointment beyond which he would be retained in service only if he has become a citizen of India. Certificates of eligibility will not, however, be necessary in the case of candidates belonging to any one of the following categories:—

1. Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan before the 19th July 1948, and have ordinarily been residing in India since then.

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Standard and Syllabus of the Examination (vide Rule 19)

Subjects	Marks
(a) Compulsory—	
(1) English (including Essay and Precis writing)	100
(2) General Knowledge	100
(3) Electrical Engineering	100
(4) Electrical Communication Engineering	200
(5) Mechanical Engineering	200
(6) Personality Test	300
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	TOTAL
	1,000
(b) Optional—Any two of the following subjects—	
(1) Prime Movers	100
(2) Physics (Electricity and Magnetism)	100
(3) Applied Mechanics (including Strength of Materials and Theory of Structures)	100
(4) Applied Mathematics	100
(5) Construction—	
<i>Paper I</i> —	
(i) Building Materials and Building construction	50
(ii) Design of Structures	
<i>Paper II</i> —	
Roads, Railways (General principles, governing design of Railways, Roads, Harbours, and other works)	50
	100

NOTE 1.—All papers must be answered in English.

NOTE 2.—Candidates must write the papers in their own hand. In no circumstances will they be allowed the help of an amanuensis (scribe) to write down answers for them.

2. The standard and syllabus of the examination will be such as the Commission shall prescribe.

3. The Commission have discretion to fix qualifying marks in any or all the subjects at the examination.

4. The Commission will summon at their discretion only those candidates whom they consider suitable for interview for the Personality Test.

5. Special attention will be paid in the Personality Test to assessing the candidates' capacity for leadership, initiative and intellectual curiosity, tact and other social qualities, mental and physical energy, powers of practical application and integrity of character.

6. From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Commission may consider necessary in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

7. Deductions up to 5 per cent. of the maximum marks for the written subjects will be made for illegible handwriting.

8. Credit will be given for good English including orderly, effective and exact expression combined with due economy of words in all subjects of the examination and not only in subjects which are specially devoted to English.

APPENDIX III

FEES

(vide Rule 18)

Candidates seeking admission to the examination must pay the following fees:—

(a) To the Commission:

(i) Re. 1, when asking for application form and connected documents.

This amount should be paid to the Commission by Money Order. Local candidates, however, may pay cash at the counter. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(ii) Rs. 81.50 (Rs. 19.62 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) with the completed application form.

This amount should be paid by means of Treasury Receipt or CROSSED Indian Postal Orders payable to Secretary, Union Public Service Commission. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(b) To the Medical Board:—

Rs. 16 before examination by a Medical Board, if selected for appointment.

This amount should be paid in cash to the Medical Board through the General Manager of the Railway concerned at the time of the Medical examination.

2. Once an application has been considered by the Commission and the decision communicated to the candidate, no claim from the candidate for a refund of the fee paid by him to the Commission will ordinarily be entertained nor can this fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection. If, however, a candidate is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, a refund of Rs. 75 (Rs. 18.75 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) will be made to him.

3. The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. The fee of Re. 1, however, must be paid even by a displaced person when asking the Commission for form and this amount will be refundable to him, if on receipt of his application, his claim to be a displaced person is accepted by the Commission and his fee is remitted.

APPENDIX IV

Particulars regarding the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways.

(1) Candidates selected under rule 3(a) will be appointed as probationers for a period of three years during which their service will be liable to termination on three months' notice on either side. They will undergo training during the first two years, which will include a suitable course of training in Tele-Communications work.

On appointment a probationer shall execute an agreement binding himself and one surety jointly and severally to refund in the event of his failing to

complete the probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government, any moneys paid to him consequent on his appointment as probationer.

Probationers will be required to undergo training at the Railway Staff College, Baroda. They will be given more than one chance to qualify in the training course but will not be confirmed till they have passed it, their training period being extended accordingly with consequent extension of the total probationary period.

At the conclusion of the training candidates who are favourably reported upon and who have passed any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed, will be given charge of a working post during the third year of their probationary period at the end of which period they will be required to undergo a final practical departmental examination, and will, if successful, be confirmed, in the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways. On confirmation, their agreement will be continued subject to their service being terminable on six months' notice on either side.

The period of training or of probation in working post may be modified by Government at any time if deemed necessary. If the period of training is extended in any case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily the total period of probation will be correspondingly extended.

NOTE.—On railways where there are specialised Tele-Communications posts, an additional training for a period of six months in Tele-Communications may be arranged in any particular case; in such cases, the period of probation in a working post referred to above will be reduced by six months.

2. (a) Probationers will not be permitted to apply for appointment elsewhere or appear for examination or selection for recruitment to other services.

(b) In cases where Probationers have already appeared at the Combined Competitive Examinations prior to their allotment to the Railway Service and qualify for appointment to services other than Railway Services, the question of their release from Railway Service will be considered only when they are prepared to refund in cash the cost of the training and other moneys paid to them during the period of their probation before they are actually relieved.

3. Officers will be required to pass a language examination in Hindi in Deva Nagari Script by the Lower Standard modified to suit the requirements of the Railways before they can be confirmed or before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time-scale during the period of probation. Officers who can speak Hindi and read and write it may be exempted by the General Manager/Chief Administrative Officer from passing the language examination. Failure to pass the examination within the probationary period involves liability to removal from service.

NOTE.—Some knowledge of Hindi prior to entry into service would be of advantage in passing departmental examinations.

4. Officers of the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways recruited under these regulations will not be entitled to pension on quitting the service, but will be eligible throughout their service for the benefits of the State Railway Provident Fund to which they will be required to subscribe, and by the rules of which Fund they will be required to abide.

5. Pay will commence from the date of joining service. Service for increments will also count from the same date. Particulars as to pay are contained in para 9 of this Appendix.

6. Officers recruited under these regulations shall be eligible for leave in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of State Railways.

7. Officers will ordinarily be employed throughout their service on the Railway to which they may be posted on first appointment and will have no claim as a matter of right, to transfer to some other Railway. But the Government of India reserve the right to transfer such officers, in the exigencies of service, to any other Railway or project in or out of India. Officers will be liable to serve in the Stores Department of the Indian Railways if and when called upon to do so.

8. The relative seniority of officers appointed under rule 3(a) will ordinarily be determined by their order of merit in the competitive examination. The Government of India, however, reserve the right of fixing seniority at their discretion in individual cases. They also reserve the right of assigning to officers appointed under rules 3(b) and (c) and 4 positions in the seniority list at their discretion.

NOTE.—If the period of training and consequently the period of probation is extended in any particular case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the officer concerned is liable to lose in seniority.

9. The following are the rates of pay admissible to officers appointed in India to the Signal Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways:—

Junior Scale—Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590
EB.—30—770—40—850.

Senior Scale—Rs. 600 (1st to 6th year)—40—1,000
—1,000—1,050—1,050—1,100—1,100—1,150.

Junior Administrative Grade—Rs. 1,300—60—1,600.

Senior Administrative Grade—Rs. 1,600—100—1,800.

NOTE.—Probationary officers will start on the minimum of the junior scale and will count their service for increment from the date of joining. They will, however, be required to pass any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time scale.

If they fail to pass the departmental examination within the probationary period, increments from Rs. 350 to Rs. 380 will be stopped. In cases where probationary period is to be extended for failing to pass all departmental examinations within the stipulated period, on their passing the departmental examination, the drawal of the first and subsequent increments will be regulated by Rules and Orders in force from time to time.

10. The increments will be given subject to sub-para. to Note under para. 9 above, for approved service only, and in accordance with the Rules of the Department.

11. Promotions to the administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment and are made wholly by selection, more seniority is considered to confer no claim for promotion.

No. E(GR)57-RR/6.—The following rules for recruitment to the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways, are published for general information:—

RULES

PART I—GENERAL

1. These Rules may be called the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways Recruitment Rules.

2. For the purpose of these rules—

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- (b) "The Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission.
- (c) "The Service" means the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways. The various grades of posts included in the Service, their classification, pay scales and special conditions of Service shall be as included in Appendix IV to these rules.
- (d) "Scheduled Castes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India;
- (e) "Scheduled Tribes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India.

3. The Service shall be recruited by the following methods:—

- (a) By competitive examination held in India in accordance with Part II of these Rules.
- (b) By promotion of specially qualified class II officers, including officiating class II officers of the Electrical Engineering Department.

Not more than 33 1/3 per cent of the vacancies will be filled by departmental promotion; this percentage is liable to be varied from time to time if found necessary.

- (c) By occasional admission of other qualified persons appointed by the Government on the recommendations of the Commission.

4. Subject to the provisions of Rule 3, Government shall determine the method or methods to be employed for the purpose of filling any particular vacancies or such vacancies as may require to be filled during any particular period, and the number of candidates to be recruited by each method.

5. Appointments to the Service made otherwise than by promotion will be subject to orders issued from time to time by the Ministry of Home Affairs regarding special representation in the Services for specific sections of the people.

PART II—RECRUITMENT BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

6. A competitive examination for admission to the service shall be held in India at such times and places as may be prescribed in the Notice issued by the Commission. Every such Notice will, when possible, announce the number of vacancies to be filled on the result of the examination.

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- (a) Any person may apply to be admitted, as a candidate for appointment in all or any of these Services or Departments for which he is eligible. If he wishes to compete for appointment in more than one Service or Department, he shall state in his application form which Services or Departments he wishes to compete for and the order of his preference for them, and in such case only one application form will be necessary and one payment of the fees referred to in rule 18 (and Appendix III) will be sufficient.
- (b) Government shall assign successful candidates to each Service or Department on a consideration of all circumstances including any personal preference expressed by the candidate.

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9. A candidate must apply to be admitted to the examination before such date, in such manner, and in such form as the Commission may prescribe.

10. A candidate must be either—

- (a) a citizen of India, or
- (b) a subject of Sikkim, or
- (c) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan with the intention of permanently settling in India.
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(vide Rule 19).

Subjects. Marks

(a) Compulsory—

(1) English (including Essay and Precise writing).	100
(2) General Knowledge	100
(3) Electrical Engineering	200
(4) Mechanical Engineering	200
(5) Applied Mechanics (including Strength of Materials and Theory of Structures)	200
(6) Personality Test	300
TOTAL	1,100

(b) Optional—Any two of the following subjects:—

(1) Physics (including Electricity and Magnetism)	100
(2) Applied Mathematics	100
(3) Surveying	100
(4) Electrical Communication Engineering	100

NOTE 1.—All papers must be answered in English.

NOTE 2.—Candidates must write the papers in their own hand. In no circumstances will they be allowed the help of an amanuensis (scribe) to write down answers for them.

2. A candidate who takes Surveying as an optional subject must produce a certificate that he has undergone satisfactory training in Surveying including practical Surveying in a college or institution recognised by the Commission for the purpose of admission to the competitive examination for the Service. The training must be equivalent to that given in the full course for a degree or diploma in Civil Engineering. The certificate must be signed by the Principal or the Head of the Department of Surveying in the college or institution.

For this purpose the Commission will ordinarily accept a certificate from any college or institution mentioned in rule 14 of the foregoing Rules or from any college which is affiliated to any University mentioned in the same Rule. The Commission, however, reserve to themselves, the power not to accept any certificate if they are satisfied that the practical training referred to therein falls short of the requirements of the Service, and their decision in the matter will be final.

3. The standard and syllabus of the examination will be such as the Commission shall prescribe.

4. The Commission have discretion to fix qualifying marks in any or all the subjects at the examination.

5. The Commission will summon at their discretion only those candidates whom they consider suitable for interview for the Personality Test.

6. Special attention will be paid in the Personality Test to assessing the candidate's capacity for leadership, initiative and intellectual curiosity, tact and other social qualities, mental and physical energy, powers or practical application and integrity of character.

7. From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Commission may consider necessary in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

8. Deductions upto 5 per cent. of the maximum marks for the written subjects will be made for illegible handwriting.

9. Credit will be given for good English including orderly, effective and exact expression combined with due economy of words in all subjects of the examination and not only in subjects which are especially devoted to English.

APPENDIX III

FEES

(Vide Rule 18)

Candidates seeking admission to the examination must pay the following fees:—

(a) To the Commission:—

(i) Re 1/- when asking for application form and connected documents.

This amount should be paid to the Commission by Money Order. Local candidates, however may pay cash at the counter. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(ii) Rs. 81.50 (Rs. 19.62 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) with the completed application form.

This amount should be paid by means of Treasury Receipt or CROSSED Indian Postal Orders payable to Secretary, Union Public Service Commission. The Commission will not accept payment made otherwise.

(b) To the Medical Board:

Rs. 16/- before examination by a Medical Board, if selected for appointment.

This amount should be paid in cash to the Medical Board through the General Manager of the Railway concerned at the time of the Medical examination.

2. Once an application has been considered by the Commission and the decision communicated to the candidate, no claim from the candidate for a refund of the fee paid by him to the Commission will ordinarily be entertained nor can this fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection. If, however, a candidate is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, a refund of Rs. 75/- (Rs. 18.75 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) will be made to him.

3. The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a bona fide displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. The fee of Re 1/-, however, must be paid even by a displaced person when asking the Commission for form and this amount will be refundable to him if on receipt of his application, his claim to be a displaced person is accepted by the Commission and his fee is remitted.

APPENDIX IV

Particulars regarding the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways

1. Candidates selected under rule 3 (a) will be appointed as probationers for a period of three years during which their service will be liable to termination on three months' notice on either side. They will undergo training during the first two years.

On appointment a probationer shall execute an agreement binding himself and one surety jointly and severally to refund in the event of his failing to complete the probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government, any moneys paid to him consequent on his appointment as probationer.

Probationers will be required to undergo training at the Railway Staff College, Baroda. They will be given more than one chance to qualify in the training course

but will not be confirmed till they have passed it, their training period being extended accordingly with consequent extension of the total probationary period.

At the conclusion of the training, candidates who are favourably reported upon and who have passed any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed, will be given charge of a working post during the third year of their probationary period, at the end of which period they will be required to undergo a final practical departmental examination, and will, if successful, be confirmed in the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways. On confirmation, their agreement will be continued subject to their service being terminable on six months' notice on either side.

The period of training or of probation in working post may be modified by Government at any time if deemed necessary.

If the period of training is extended in any case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the total period of probation will be correspondingly extended.

2. (a) "Probationers will not be permitted to apply for appointment elsewhere or appear for examination or selection for recruitment to other services."

(b) In cases where Probationers have already appeared at the Combined Competitive Examinations prior to their allotment to the Railway Service and qualify for appointment to services other than Railway Services, the question of their release from Railway Service will be considered only when they are prepared to refund in cash the cost of the training and other moneys paid to them during the period of their probation before they are actually relieved.

3. Officers will be required to pass a language examination in Hindi in Devanagari script by the Lower Standard modified to suit the requirements of the Railways before they can be confirmed or before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time scale during the period of probation. Officers who can speak Hindi and read and write it may be exempted by the General Manager/Chief Administrative Officer from passing the language examination. Failure to pass the examination within the probationary period involves liability to removal from service.

NOTE.—Some Knowledge of Hindi prior to entry into service would be of advantage in passing departmental examinations.

4. Officers of the Electrical Engineering Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways recruited under these regulations will not be entitled to pension on quitting the service, but will be eligible throughout their service for the benefits of the State Railway Provident Fund, to which they will be required to subscribe, and by the rules of which Fund they will be required to abide.

5. Pay will commence from the date of joining service. Service or increments will also count from the same date. Particulars as to pay are contained in para. 9 of this Appendix.

6. Officers recruited under these regulations shall be eligible for leave in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of Indian Railways.

7. Officers will ordinarily be employed throughout their service on the Railway to which they may be posted on first appointment and will have no claim, as a matter of right, to transfer to some other Railway. But the Government of India reserve the right to transfer such officers in the exigencies of service, to any other Railway or project in or out of India. Officers will be liable to serve in the Stores Department of the Indian Railways if and when called upon to do so.

8. The relative seniority of officers appointed under rule 3(a) will ordinarily be determined by their order of merit in the competitive examination. The Government of India, however, reserve the right of fixing seniority at their discretion in individual cases. They also reserve the right of assigning to officers appointed under rules 3(b) and (c), and 4 positions in the seniority list at their discretion.

NOTE.—If the period of training and consequently the period of probation is extended in any particular case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the officer concerned is liable to lose in seniority.

9. The following are the rates of pay admissible to officers appointed in India to the Electrical Engineer-

ing Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways.

Junior Scale:—Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590—E.B.—30—770—40—850.

Senior Scale:—Rs. 600 (1st to 6th year)—40—1,000—1,000—1,050—1,050—1,100—1,100—1,150.

Junior Administrative Grade:—Rs. 1,300—60—1,600.

Senior Administrative Grade:—Rs. 1,600—100—1,800.

NOTE.—Probationary officers will start on the minimum of the junior scale and will count their service for increment from the date of joining. They will, however, be required to pass any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time scale.

If they fail to pass the departmental examination within the probationary period, increments from Rs. 350 to 380 will be stopped. In cases where probationary period is to be extended for failing to pass all departmental examinations within the stipulated period, on their passing the departmental examination, the drawal of the first and subsequent increments will be regulated by Rules and orders in force from time to time.

10. The increments will be given, subject to subpara. to Note under para. 9 above, for approved service only, and in accordance with the Rules of the Department.

11. Promotions to the administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment and are made wholly by selection; mere seniority is considered to confer no claim for promotion.

No. E(GR)57RR7.—The following Rules and Regulations for recruitment to the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways are published for general information:—

RULES

PART I—GENERAL

1. These Rules may be called the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways Recruitment Rules.

2. For the purpose of these Rules—

(a) "Government" means the Government of India.

(b) "The Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission.

(c) "The Service" means service in the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways.

The various grades of posts included in the service, their classification, pay scales and special conditions of Service shall be as included in Appendix IV to these Rules.

(d) "Scheduled Castes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India.

(e) "Scheduled Tribes" means any castes, communities, races, sects, etc. notified as such by the President of India.

3. The service shall be recruited by the following methods:—

(a) By appointment of candidates as Special Class Apprentices on the results of a Selection to be made in India in accordance with Part II of these Rules.

(b) By competitive examination held in India in accordance with Part III of these Rules.

(c) By promotion of specially qualified officers of the Class II Service, including officiating officers in the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department.

Not more than 33 1/3 per cent. of the vacancies will be filled by departmental promotion; this percentage is liable to be varied from time to time if found necessary.

(d) By occasional admission of other qualified persons appointed by the President in consultation with the Commission.

4. Subject to the provisions of rule 3, Government shall determine the method or methods to be employed for the purpose of filling any particular vacancies, or such vacancies as may require to be filled during any particular period, and the number of candidates to be recruited by each method.

5. Appointment to the Service made otherwise than by promotion will be subject to orders issued from time to time by the Ministry of Home Affairs regarding special representation in the Services for specific sections of the people.

PART II—QUALIFICATIONS OF CANDIDATES AND METHODS OF SELECTION OF SPECIAL CLASS

Apprentices Recruited under Rule 3(a)

Published separately on 16th February 1957

PART III—RECRUITMENT BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

6. A competitive examination for admission to the Service shall be held in India at such times and places as may be prescribed in the Notice issued by the Commission. Every such Notice will when possible announce the number of vacancies to be filled on the result of the examination.

7. If the examination held under this part of these Rules is a combined examination for the purpose of making appointments to more than one Service or Department, the following provisions shall apply:—

(a) Any person may apply to be admitted as a candidate for appointment in all or any of these Services or Departments for which he is eligible. If he wishes to compete for appointment in more than one Service or Department he shall state in his application form which Services or Departments he wishes to compete for and the order of his preference for them, and in such case only one application form will be necessary and one payment of the fees, referred to in Rule 18 (and Appendix III) will be sufficient.

(b) Government shall assign successful candidates to each Service or Department on a consideration of all circumstances including any personal preference expressed by the candidate.

8. The maximum number of candidates to be admitted to any examination may at the discretion of the Commission be limited to such number, not being less than 200, as the Commission may decide. If a limit is imposed and the number of candidates exceeds that limit, the Commission shall select from the applicants those who shall be admitted to the examination, and in doing so shall have regard to the suitability of the applicants.

9. A candidate must apply to be admitted to the examination before such date, in such manner, and in such form as the Commission may prescribe.

10. A candidate must be either—

- (a) a citizen of India; or
- (b) a subject of Sikkim; or
- (c) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan with the intention of permanently settling in India.
- (d) a subject of Nepal or of a Portuguese or a former French possession in India.

NOTE 1.—The appointment of candidates in categories (c) and (d) above will be subject to the issue of certificates of eligibility in their favour by the Government of India. The certificate of eligibility in respect of candidates belonging to category (c) will be valid only for a period of one year from the date of his appointment beyond which he would be retained in service only if he has become a citizen of India. Certificates of eligibility will not, however, be necessary in the case of candidates belonging to any one of the following categories:—

- (1) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan before the 19th July 1948, and have ordinarily been residing in India since then.
- (2) Persons who migrated to India from Pakistan after the 18th July 1948, but before the 30th September 1948 and got themselves registered as citizens within the time allowed.
- (3) Non-citizens who entered service under the Government of India before the commencement of the Constitution, viz., 26th January, 1950 and who have continued in such service since then. Any such person who re-entered or may re-enter such service with break after the 26th January 1950, will, however, require certificate of eligibility in the usual way.

NOTE 2.—A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the examination and he may also be provisionally appointed subject to the necessary certificate being eventually issued in his favour by Government.

11. (a) No male candidate who has more than one wife living shall be eligible for appointment to any of the Services, appointments to which are made on the results of this competitive examination unless the

Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any male candidate from the operation of this rule.

(b) No female candidate who has married a person having already a wife living shall be eligible for appointment to the service unless the Government of India after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any female candidate from the operation of this rule.

12. On the date prescribed by the Commission in their Notice of the examination issued under Rule 6, a candidate must have attained the age of 20 and must not have attained the age of 25 provided that the upper age limit of 25 will be relaxable upto 30 in the case of candidates who are permanently employed in Railway service or who were continuously in the temporary Railway service for at least 3 years or who were within the above specified age limits on the date of their employment in Railway service, such relaxation being limited to three examinations only.

Departmental candidates must obtain previous permission of the Head of the Department to appear for the examination.

NOTE.—The upper age limits prescribed above will be relaxable—

- (i) Upto a maximum of five years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe.
- (ii) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at five previous examinations or in the case of Railway employees at eight previous examinations.

- (iii) Upto a maximum of eight years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe and is also a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at ten previous examinations or in the case of Railway employees at thirteen previous examinations.

- (iv) Upto a maximum of three years if a candidate is a resident of the former French Settlements which have now become part of India and has been receiving his education through the medium of French.

- (v) Upto a maximum of 4 years if a candidate belongs to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

SAVE AS PROVIDED ABOVE THE AGE LIMITS PRESCRIBED CAN IN NO CASE BE RELAXED

13. A candidate must satisfy the Commission that his character is such as to make him suitable for appointment to the service.

14. A candidate must have—

- (a) obtained a degree in Engineering from a university incorporated by an Act of the Central or of a State Legislature in India; or
- (b) passed Sections A and B of the Associate Membership Examination of the Institution of Engineers (India) or have any other educational qualifications recognised by that institution as exempting from passing these sections; or
- (c) obtained an engineering degree of one of the universities mentioned in Appendix I under the conditions prescribed in that Appendix; or
- (d) passed the Honours Diploma examination in Civil, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering of the Loughborough College, Leicestershire, provided the candidate has passed the common preliminary examination or has been exempted therefrom; or
- (e) obtained the B. E. (Tele-Communication) degree awarded by Indian Universities.

NOTE I.—In exceptional cases the Commission may treat as a qualified candidate, a candidate who, though he has not all or any of the qualifications prescribed in this rule has passed examinations conducted by other institutions of a standard which in the opinion of the Commission justify his admission to the examination.

NOTE II.—Candidates who have appeared at an examination the passing of which would render them eligible to appear at this examination, but have not been informed of the result may apply for admission to the examination. Candidates who intend to appear at such a qualifying examination may also apply, provided that the qualifying examination is completed before the commencement of this examination. Their

applications will be accepted provisionally and they will be required to furnish proof of having passed the examination as soon as possible and in any case not later than two months after the commencement of the examination.

15. No candidate shall be admitted to the examination unless he holds a certificate of admission from the Commission.

The decision of the Commission as to the eligibility or otherwise of a candidate for admission to the examination shall be final.

16. A candidate found guilty of impersonation or of submitting fabricated documents or documents which have been tampered with or of making statements which are incorrect or false or suppressing material information or of using or attempting to use unfair means in the examination hall or otherwise resorting to any other irregular or improper means for obtaining admission to the examination may in addition to rendering himself liable to a criminal prosecution be debarred either permanently or for a specified period—

- (a) by the Commission from admission to any examination or appearance at any interview held by the Commission for selection of candidates; and
- (b) by the Central Government from employment under the Government.

17. No recommendations except those required in the application form shall be taken into consideration. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to obtain support for his candidature by other means may disqualify him for admission.

18. Candidates must pay such examination fees as Government may prescribe (See Appendix III). No claim for a refund of any of these fees will ordinarily be entertained nor can they be held in reserve for any other examination or selection.

19. Examinations under these Rules shall be conducted by the Commission in the manner prescribed in the regulations which form Appendix II to these Rules.

20. (a) After every examination the Commission shall make a list of the candidates in order of their merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate, and in that order so many candidates up to the number of unreserved vacancies announced under Rule 6 above as are found by the Commission to be qualified by the examination and are considered by Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, to be suitable in all other respects, shall be appointed.

(b) Appointments to vacancies to be filled by members of a particular community or communities shall be made by Government or the appointing authority as the case may be, in the order of merit of the candidates belonging to the particular community or communities, provided they have qualified in the examination and are in all respects suitable for employment in the service.

(c) Success in the examination confers no right to appointment, unless Government are satisfied, after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that the candidate is suitable in all respects for appointment to the public service.

21. A candidate must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the discharge of his duties as an officer of the service. A candidate who (after such physical examination as Government or the appointing authority, as the case may be, may prescribe) is found not to satisfy these requirements will not be appointed. Only those candidates who are likely to be considered for appointment will be physically examined.

NOTE.—In order to prevent disappointment candidates are advised to have themselves examined by a Government Medical Officer of the Standing of a Civil Surgeon before applying for admission to the examination. Particulars of the nature of the physical test to which candidates will be subjected before appointment and the standards required can be had from the Commission.

22. (a) Appointments shall be made on probation for a period of three years.

(b) If, in the opinion of Government, the work or conduct of an officer on probation is unsatisfactory, or shows that he is unlikely to become efficient Government may discharge him forthwith.

(c) On the conclusion of his period of probation Government may confirm the officer in his appointment, or if his work or conduct has in the opinion of Government been unsatisfactory Government may either discharge him from the service or may extend

his period of probation for such further period as Government may think fit.

(d) if no action is taken by Government under sub-rule (b) or (c) of this rule, the period after the prescribed period of probation shall be treated as an engagement from month to month terminable on either side on the expiration of one calendar month's notice in writing.

(e) If the power to make appointments in the Service is delegated by Government to any officer, that officer may exercise all or any of the powers of Government under this rule.

23. Probationers will also be required to pass a test in Hindi before confirmation.

APPENDIX I

List of University degrees which will be recognised for admission to the examination [vide paragraph 14 (c).]

Aberdeen—B.Sc. Engineering (Honours or Ordinary degree).

Cambridge—Ordinary B.A. degree in Engineering provided the graduate has passed in the principal subjects, Engineering I, Engineering II and Engineering III.

Durham—B.Sc. in Marine Engineering.

Glasgow—B.Sc. in Naval Architecture (Honours or Ordinary degree).

NOTE.—The above degrees will be accepted only if taken after three years study and the passing of the regular examinations in the several Universities. The conditions as to three years study will not, however, apply to Indians who having taken an Indian degree, which exempts them from part of the University course, shall have taken one of the above degrees in less than three years in accordance with the regulations of the University concerned.

APPENDIX II

Standard and syllabus of the Examination (vide Rule 19)

Subjects	Marks
(a) Compulsory—	
1. English (including Essay and Precise writing)	100
2. General Knowledge	100
3. Applied Mechanics (including strength of materials)	200
4. Theory of Machines and Machine design	200
5. Prime Movers	200
6. Personality Test	300
TOTAL	1,100
(b) Optional (any two of the following subjects)—	
1. Hydraulics and Hydraulic Machines	100
2. Electrical Engineering	100
3. Metallurgy	100
4. Workshop Technology	100
5. Physics (including Electricity and Magnetism)	100
6. Workshop Organisation and Management	100

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This amount should be paid in cash to the Medical Board through the General Manager of the Railway concerned at the time of the Medical examination.

2. Once an application has been considered by the Commission and the decision communicated to the candidate, no claim from the candidate for a refund of the fee paid by him to the Commission will ordinarily be entertained nor can this fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection. If, however, a candidate is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, a refund of Rs. 75/- (Rs. 18.75 in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) will be made to him.

3. The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu and Kashmir and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. The fee of Re. 1/-, however, must be paid even by a displaced person when asking the Commission for form and this amount will be refundable to him, if on receipt of his application, his claim to be a displaced person is accepted by the Commission and his fee is remitted.

APPENDIX IV

Particulars regarding the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department of the Superior Revenue Establishment of Indian Railways

1. Candidates selected for appointment under Rule 3(b) will be appointed as probationary officers for a period of three years during which their services will be liable to termination on three months' notice on either side. They shall undergo practical training for the first two years. Those favourably reported upon at the end of the two years' training and who have passed any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed will be given charge of a working post during the third year of their probationary period. At the end of this period, they will be required to pass a final practical departmental examination and will if successful be confirmed in the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department, provided they are considered fit for permanent appointment. On confirmation their agreement will be continued subject to their

service being terminable on six months' notice on either side.

On appointment a probationer shall execute an agreement binding himself and one surety jointly and severally to refund in the event of his failing to complete the probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government, any moneys paid to him consequent on his appointment as probationer.

Probationers will be required to undergo training at the Railway Staff College, Baroda in two phases, the first phase during the period of two years' training and the second phase during the period they hold working posts. They will be given more than one chance to qualify in the training course but will not be confirmed till they have passed it, their training period being extended accordingly with consequent extension of the total probationary period.

NOTE.—The period of training and the period of probation against a working post may be modified at the discretion of Government. If the period of training is extended in any case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the total period of probation will be correspondingly extended.

2. (a) Probationers will not be permitted to apply for appointment elsewhere or appear for examination or selection for recruitment to other services.

(b) In cases where Probationers have already appeared at the Combined Competitive Examinations prior to their allotment to the Railway Service and qualify for appointment to services other than Railway Services, the question of their release from Railway Service will be considered only when they are prepared to refund in cash the cost of the training and other moneys paid to them during the period of their probation before they are actually relieved.

3. Probationers will be required to pass a language examination in Hindi in Deva Nagri script by the Lower Standard modified to suit the requirements of the Railways before they can be confirmed or before their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time scale during the period of probation. Probationers who can speak Hindi and read and write it may be exempted by the General Manager/Chief Administrative Officer from passing the language examination. Failure to pass the examination within the probationary period involves liability to removal from service.

4. Officers of the Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department recruited under these regulations will not be entitled to pension on quitting the service, but will be eligible throughout their service for the benefits of the State Railway Provident Fund, to which they will be required to subscribe, and by the rules of which fund they will be required to abide.

5. Pay will commence from the date of joining service as a probationer. Service for increments will also count from the same date. Particulars as to pay are contained in para. 9 of this Appendix.

6. Officers recruited under these regulations shall be eligible for leave in accordance with the rules for the time being in force applicable to officers of Indian Railways.

7. Officers will ordinarily be employed throughout their service on the Railway to which they may be posted on first appointment and will have no claim, as a matter of right, to transfer to some other Railway but the Government of India reserve the right to transfer such officers, in the exigencies of service, to any other railway or project in or out of India. Officers will be liable to serve in the Stores Department of Indian Railways if and when called upon to do so.

8. The relative seniority of officers recruited under rule 3(a) will ordinarily be determined by the order of merit at the end of their first four years' training, while in the case of those recruited under rule 3(b) the relative seniority will ordinarily be determined by the order of merit in the competitive examination. As between officers recruited under rule 3(a) and those recruited under rule 3(b) who enter working posts in the same year, the seniority will be interpolated. The Government of India however reserve the right of fixing seniority at their discretion in individual cases. They also reserve the right of assigning to officers appointed under regulation 3(c) and 3(d) positions in the seniority list at their discretion.

NOTE.—If the period of training and consequently the period of probation, is extended in any particular

case due to the training not having been completed satisfactorily, the Officer concerned is liable to lose in seniority.

9. The following are the rates of pay admissible to officers appointed to Mechanical Engineering and Transportation (Power) Department:—

Junior Scale—Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590
E.B.—30—770—40—850.

Senior Scale—Rs. 600 (1st to 6th year)—40—
1,000—1,000—1,050—1,050—1,100—1,100—1,150.

Junior Administrative Grade—Rs. 1,300—60—1,600.

Senior Administrative Grade—Rs. 1,800—100—
2,000—125—2,250.

NOTE.—Probationary officers will start on the minimum of the junior scale and will count their service for increments from the date of joining. They will, however, be required to pass any departmental examination or examinations that may be prescribed before

their pay can be raised from Rs. 350 p.m. to Rs. 380 p.m. in the time scale.

If they fail to pass the departmental examination within the probationary period increments from Rs. 350 to Rs. 380 will be stopped. In cases where Probationary period is to be extended for failing to pass all departmental examinations within the stipulated period, on their passing the departmental examination, the drawal of the first and subsequent increments will be regulated by Rules and Orders in force from time to time.

10. The increments will be given subject to sub-para. to note under para. 9 above, for approved service only, and in accordance with the rules of the Department.

11. Promotions to the Administrative grades are dependent on the occurrence of vacancies in the sanctioned establishment and are made wholly by selection; mere seniority is considered to confer no claim for promotion.

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